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TAGS: PINT, KS

SUBJ: SUMMARY OF EMERGENCY MEASURE NO. 4

REF: SEOUL 2126

1. PRESIDENT PARK PROCLAIMED EMERGENCY MEASURE NO. 4
EVENING OF APRIL 3. MEASURE AIMED AT CURBING STUDENT
PROTEST CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS:

A. BANS JOINING OR ORGANIZING A QTE NATIONAL FEDERATION
OF DEMOCRATIC YOUTH AND STUDENTS UNQTE OR SIMILAR
ORGANIZATION AS WELL AS AIDING OR SYMPATHIZING WITH SUCH
ORGANIZATION;

B. OUTLAWS PUBLICIZING ACTIVITIES OF SUCH ORGANIZATIONS
ORALLY OR IN WRITING;

C. BANS ALW STUDENT POLITICAL PROTEST, INCLUDING CLASS
OR EXAM BOYCOTT, MEETINGS, RALLIES, ETC.;

D. EMPOWERS MINISTER OF EDUCATION TO EXPEL OR
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SUSPEND STUDENT WHO VIOLATES THESE MEASURES AND

TO ABOLISH THE COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY WHICH HE
ATTENDED;

E. IMPOSES COURT-MARTIAL TRIAL AND PENALTIES UP TO
DEATH FOR VIOLATING THIS EMERGENCY MEASURE;

F. PROVIDES FOR MILITARY DISTRICT COMMANDERS TO
RESPOND TO CALL FROM CITY MAYORS OR PROVINCIAL
GOVERNORS FOR TROOPS TO MAINTAIN ORDER;

G. EMPOWERS PROSECUTOR TO SEIZE MATERIALS IN CASES
UNDER THIS MEASURE EVEN WHEN THERE IS NO INDICTMENT;
AND

H. REQUIRES STUDENTS WHO JOINED OR AIDED BANNED
ORGANIZATIONS TO SURRENDER AND REPORT ON THEIR
ACTIVITIES BY APRIL 8 AND OFFERS AMNESTY TO THOSE
WHO COMPLY.

2. EMERGENCY MEASURES WERE ACCOMPANIED BY PRESIDENTIAL
PROCLAMATION WHICH POINTED TO NORTH KOREAN THREAT AND
INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
AND DECLARED THAT ROK MUST HAVE A QTE TOTAL

NATIONAL CONSENSUS UNQTE AND MOBILIZE ITS STRENGTH
TO MEET THE CHALLENGE. PROCLAMATION EXPRESSES
DETERMINATION TO QTE UPROOT ONCE AND FOR ALL...
IMPURE ELEMENTS UNQTE WHICH OPPOSE THIS GOAL.
IT CONCLUDES BY PROMISING PROSPERITY AND UNIFICATION
FOR ROK IF PUBLIC SUPPORTS GOVERNMENT MEASURES.

3. EMERGENCY MEASURES AND PROCLAMATION WERE ISSUED
TO REPORTERS AT 10:30 PM AT BLUE HOUSE FOLLOWING
APPROVAL BY CABINET. TEXTS WERE HANDED OUT TO
NEWSMEN BUT NOT READ LIVE BY PRESIDENT OR BLUE
HOUSE SPOKESMAN. HOWEVER, THIRTY MINUTES BEFOREHAND
MEDIA REPORTED IMPENDING IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

5. TEXT OF EMERGENCY MEASURE AND PROCLAMATION FOLLOW
IN SEPTELS.
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